## The Utah Department of Agriculture in conjunction with the Colorado-State Animal Response Team and the Colorado Veterinary Medical Foundation Are offering a Bio-Defense/Emergency Response 2 day Seminar

The goal of the seminar is to inform veterinary practitioners and other interested groups on efforts in emergency response roles that they can assume in case of significant emergencies of various types. Much of this information can translate directly into your daily practice in addition to you being a local resource in case of disaster, disease or emergency.

There is NO COST for attending, but you do need to register by contacting Warren Hess at wjhess@utah.gov or 801-538-4910 (office) or 801-870-7818 (cell).

16 Hours of Continuing Education Credit has been applied for.

Location: Utah Department of Agriculture and Food

2nd Floor Conference Room 350 N. Redwood Road

SLC, Utah 84114

Dates: Wednesday, January 31 and Thursday, February 1

A limited number of rooms are being held at the State Government rate of \$68 per night at **Comfort Suite Hotel** which is close by (171 N. 2100 W.). Their number is 801-715-8688 and let them know that you are attending the UDAF Bio-Defense/Emergency Response meeting. They have a complete breakfast (not continental) included.

Lunch will be provided both days of the seminar.

There is some literature that would be helpful to look over prior to attending the meeting to help you understand some of the structure and language used by federal, state and local governments in emergency situations. This material will be supplied to you once you register.

Below is an agenda of the meeting

Biodefense Training Program
Salt Lake City, Utah
January 31st – February 1st 2007

Pre-Meeting Requirements
Each participant to review on-line:

IS-700: National Incident Management System IS-100: Incident Command System www.fema.gov/nims

## Day 1

7.00-8.00 am	Registration and continental breakfast
8:00-8:30 am:	Welcome and introductions  Utah Department of Agriculture and RMRCE
8.30-10:10 am	Overview of the animal and agricultural emergency response USAHA resolution, PETS Act, National Coalition, and Veterinary roles in community animal emergency response (Module 1)  Dr. Kevin Dennison, CVMF/RMRCE
10.10-10.30 am	Break
10.30-Noon	FAD (Foreign Animal Disease) Risk Status  Dr. Tony Knight, CSU/RMRCE
Noon-1 pm	Lunch
1.00-2.00 pm	Zoonoses & Biological Risks (Module 2)  Dr. Tony Knight, CSU/RMRCE
2.00-3.20 pm	CBRNE (Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear and Environmental) issues for Veterinarians (Module 3)  Dr. Kevin Dennison, CVMF/RMRCE
3.20-3.40 pm	Break
3.40-5.00 pm	Personal Preparedness and Business Contingency Planning (Module 4)  Dr. Kevin Dennison, CVMF/RMRCE
5.00 pm	Reception

## Day 2

7.00-8.00 am	Registration
8.00-9.00 am	Bio-Protection Strategies – infection control, disinfection
9.00-10.00 am	Bio-Protection Strategies – PPE (Personal Protective Equipment) /entry exit
10.00-10.30 am	Break
10.30-Noon	Animal Depopulation Strategies Update on National Veterinary Stockpile NAHREC program update <i>USDA</i>
Noon-1 pm	Lunch
1.00-2.00 pm	Current Utah Agricultural and Animal Response Plans L. Earl Rogers, DVM Utah State Veterinarian
2.00-2:30 pm	UVMA and S.A.R.T. (State Animal Response Team) Anne Gwinn, DVM UVMA
2:30-3:00 pm	C.A.R.T. (Community Animal Response Teams)  Warren J. Hess, DVM Field Veterinarian-UDAF
3.00-3.30 pm	Break
3.30-5.00 pm	Panel Discussion and Utah's Future S.A.R.T. Plans Dr. Kevin Dennison, CVMF/RMRCE Dr. Tony Knight, CSU/RMRCE Dr. Earl Rogers, State Veterinarian Dr. Anne Gwinn, UVMA Mr. Ron Gloshen, DPS/DES-HS
5.00 pm	Adjourn